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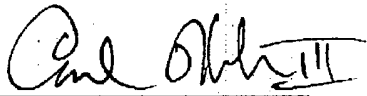
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Title: INTERFEROMETRIC TECHNIQUE FOR QUANTITATING BIOLOGICAL INDICATORS

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action of April 14, 2004, Applicant elects to prosecute the claims of invention I, namely without traverse and provides the following.